	Melton Foods Environmental Policy Statement	SHEMS-Env-POL001
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We do **GOOD** things with **GREAT** food

Melton Foods recognises that the food industry has a significant environmental footprint, contributing to the climate emergency, deforestation, microplastics and food waste. As a large food manufacturer, we are directly responsible for the carbon we emit from our production facilities and vehicle fleet and have influence over the carbon emitted by suppliers and growers in our supply chain.

Quantities of food surplus and waste are impacted by production processes and the effectiveness of our storage and transport. The way in which we design and use packaging impacts on quantities and disposal of plastic, paper and other wastes. We are taking action to tackle our environmental impact by establishing effective governance systems, setting ourselves challenging improvement targets and reporting on our progress.

Our Commitments

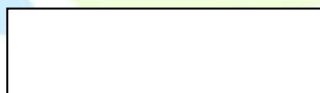
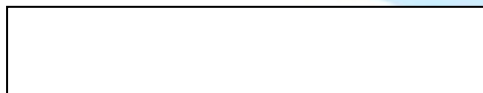
We are committed to the following principles:

- Protecting the environment through the prevention of pollution and reducing our environmental impacts.
- Implementing an effective environmental management system and to its continuous improvement, with the aim to meet all regulatory, customer and Group requirements.
- Engaging with our colleagues and other stakeholders on environmental issues.
- Minimising the environmental impacts of the products and services we produce and the products we sell.
- Proactively working with our customers, industry bodies, research institutions and other bodies to tackle environmental impacts associated with the food industry.

Our Priority Areas

We are committed to addressing the following priority areas of environmental impact:

- Reducing our direct and indirect greenhouse gas emissions and to setting science-based targets to support our aim of becoming a net zero business.
- Selecting and using packaging for a clear functional purpose, ensuring that whole-life environmental impacts are taken into consideration.
- Driving out food waste from our business. Where food surplus is generated, we will seek to maximise its redistribution.



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